

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

APPLICANT: Sackstein Conformation No. 1314  
SERIAL NUMBER: 10/042,421 EXAMINER: Gambel, Phillip  
FILING DATE: October 18, 2001 ART UNIT: 1644  
FOR: HEMATOPOIETIC CELL E-SELECTIN/ L-SELECTIN LIGAND POLYPEPTIDES AND  
METHODS OF USE THEREOF

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Applicants respectfully petition for a three-month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for responding to the Notice of Appeal filed in the above-captioned Application on August 26, 2009, thereby extending the period for reply up to and including January 26, 2010. Applicants submit herewith a requisite three-month extension of time fee for a small-entity in the amount of \$555.00 pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)(3).

Applicants believe no additional fees are due with the filing of this Response. However, if any additional fees are required or if any funds are due, the USPTO is authorized to charge or credit Deposit Account Number: **50-0311**, Customer Number: **30623**, Reference Number: **36459-501001US**.

Respectfully submitted,

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